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SUBJ: COSTA RICAN LABOR LEADER JUAN RAFAEL SOLIS BARBOSA

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1. JUAN RAFAEL SOLIS BARBOZA HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COSTA RICAN COMMUNIST PARTY (PVP) SINCE ABOUT 1958, AND UNTIL 1976 WAS A MEMBER OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE. DURING THE 1976 NATIONAL PARTY CONGRESS, HE WAS DEMOTED FROM THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE FOR DERELICTION OF DUTIES AND MADE A MEMBER OF THE PROPAGANDA COMMITTEE. AT THE SAME PARTY CONGRESS, HE WAS HIGHLY PRAISED FOR HIS ACTIVITIES IN THE LABOR FIELD.

2. SOLIS HAS BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH THE LABOR MOVEMENT ALL HIS ADULT LIFE AND IS CONSIDERED ONE OF THE BETTER LABOR NEGOTIATORS IN THE COSTA RICA COMMUNIST LABOR CONFEDERATION (CGT). HE IS PRESENTLY ORGANIZATIONAL SECRETARY FOR THE CGT AND IS ALSO A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST CENTRAL AMERICAN LABOR UNION FEDERATION, CUSCA. AS A MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF CUSCA, HE IS ALSO ASSOCIATED WITH THE LATIN AMERICAN COMMUNIST LABOR FEDERATION CPUSTAL AND HAS TRAVELED TO BLOC COUNTRIES TO ATTEND WFTU GENERAL COUNCIL MEETINGS. SOLIS ATTENDED A COMMUNIST LABOR SCHOOL IN THE USSR IN 1964-1965.

3. SOLIS WAS BORN MARCH 14, 1920, IN SAN IGNACIO DE ACOSTA, COSTA RICA. HE IS MARRIED AND HAS THREE OR FOUR CHILDREN.

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